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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1.	This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of 3 months to respond to the			
	Office Action dated October 24, 2006.			
2.	Applicant is	a small entity;	other than a small entity.	
3.	Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):			
	Total Months	Fee For Other	Fee for	
	Requested	Than Small Entity	Small Entity	
	one month	\$120.00	\$60.00	
	two months	\$450.00	\$225.00	
	three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00	
	four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00	
	five months*	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00	
	ot be used to exceed six-	month statutory limit for respons	se to an Official Action.	
	A check in the amo	unt of \$ is enclosed.		
	Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.			
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	when electronically	filing		
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